

As a broadcaster in the Great Falls Montana Market, I cannot recall 1 complaint regarding obscene material on any of our four radio stations in ten years. I believe that the proposed rulemaking requiring broadcasters to retain recordings of on air content will be a much larger expense than mentioned in any material I have read. Consider the cost of additional machinery required to record. Storage space for the recorded material digital or otherwise. Human resource costs of employment for installing, maintaining, and required personel to insure the recording are being completed. If most stations are like ours we are limited to fulltime employment in the morning only and depend on automation for the afternoons, eavings, and overnights. This proposed rulemaking seems to be another considerable hoop to jump through considering we have never been a target of obscene broadcasting practices. Good management is really the key to providing quality on air material with high expectations of those whom perform on air duties. Pentalize and restrain those operations that are committing the offense. Please refrain from handcuffing the majority of us that consider ourselves decent broadcasters.

Thank you,

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